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Subject: Re: Fw: SF Alternative Sites Report - OCFO request for changes Fw:

Date: 01/15/2009 09:23 PM

Attachments: SAA Rpt Table HAC thru FY08 OSWER 12-17-08 OB 1-5-09.doc

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Thanks Gary.

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Robert:

The tank waste is chromium, lead, and benzene contaminated liquid waste. They have disposed of about 7.7 million gallons via deep well injection at the Texas Molecular Facility in Corpus Christi, TX. They will have some sludge which has not been characterized for disposal as of yet. Also, the tops of the tanks are not in good condition. They are close to completion of removing of the waste from the tanks.

thanks

Gary Moore



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Robert, I have forwarded your request for information to Gary Moore (214-665-6609) the On-Scene Coordinator responsible for the removal action concerning the tank wastes.

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If you go to the attachment, Office of Chief Financial Officer pointed out that under nature of threat for Falcon Refinery, we have tank waste (TBD). They want us to be more specific on the waste.

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Hello John-

I will have comments - I need to coordinate them with OSRTI. In general, I am fine with the minor wording changes, I don't agree with two of the major changes that Diane is asking for:

- 1) Adding the amount that has been cost recovered. We looked into doing this last year, and determined that: a) the information wasn't asked for in the HAC report; and b) providing the information required a lot more explanation regarding assumptions and process. That information is not specific to the SAA approach, but general to Superfund cost recovery.
- 2) Adding in the column from 2007. We can indicate with a asterisk which sites are new, if that is helpful. Again, the HAC report does not ask for us to show incremental changes, rather it asks for totals. I am reluctant to provide information which was not specifically asked for.... this reluctance is based in part on OSRTIs concern during last year's report development that we provide only exactly what is asked for (which was one reason why we didn't provide cost recovery information).

That's my initial response. I'll coordinate with OSRTI to see where they are on these requested changes.

Please let me know if we "have" to do this and the request for comments is just a formality. It that's the case, we can get right to work on it (although it will take several weeks to get the information, quality assure it, and send it all back through the management chains).

Thanks, Nancy

Nancy Browne 202.564.4219

▼ JohnM Warren---01/05/2009 12:29:34 PM---Nancy, could you please review OCFO's changes and let me know if you have comments? Thanks. ----- F

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Nancy, could you please review OCFO's changes and let me know if you have comments? Thanks.

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Glen -

TFAA's comments on the report are attached. Please feel free to call if you have questions.



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FYI - I will work with Lucille and co. to get a new RRR entry into the database for this report. I prefer to close out last year's since it was a two-parter and keep this as a separate entry for FY 09 moving forward.

Thanks, -Diane 564-7688

▼ Glen Cuscino---12/17/2008 01:18:19 PM---Diane: We have approved, and OECA has also approved the attached: Glen R. Cuscino OSWER Budget Formu

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